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David WALLACH          ) Art Unit: 1635  
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Appln. No.: 09/155,676 ) Examiner: J. Epps-Ford  
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Filed: January 4, 1999 ) Washington, D.C.  
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For: MODULATORS OF TNF RECEPTOR ) March 21, 2007  
ASSOCIATED FACTOR (TRAF) )  
THEIR PREPERATION AND USE )

**AMENDMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendments  
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Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 21, 2006, please amend as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.